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> Date: SEP 1 4 2018 Refer To: N3B-18-0208

John Kieling, Bureau Chief Hazardous Waste Bureau New Mexico Environment Department 2905 Rodeo Park Drive East, Building 1 Santa Fe, NM 87505-6303

Subject: Notification of the Newport News Nuclear BWXT - Los Alamos, LLC, Project

Manager, the U.S. Department of Energy Contact, and Confirmation of

Responsibilities in Accordance with the 1995 Federal Facility Compliance Order

Dear Mr. Kieling:

This letter provides notice to the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) of a newly designated Newport News Nuclear BWXT – Los Alamos, LLC (N3B) Site Treatment Plan (STP) Project Manager and new contact for the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) Environmental Management Los Alamos Field Office (EM-LA), effective September 30, 2018.

N3B is responsible for the management and operation of specified hazardous waste management units (HWMUs) located at Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL) Technical Area 54, Areas G, H, and L, which are regulated under the LANL Hazardous Waste Facility Permit (No. NM0890010515). Under this Permit, Los Alamos National Security, LLC, and N3B will co-operate different HWMUs, which store mixed waste addressed under the Federal Facility Compliance Order (FFCO) of October 4, 1995.

Effective September 30, 2018, Stacie Singleton of N3B is the LANL STP Project Manager and Elizabeth Churchill of EM-LA is the DOE contact. This notification is in accordance with Section XVI of the FFCO. Stacie Singleton and Elizabeth Churchill may be contacted as follows:

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N3B and EM-LA are also providing a courtesy summary of Ms. Singleton's and Ms. Churchill's August 22, 2018, conversation with NMED's Neelam Dhawan and Siona Briley regarding N3B's new STP responsibilities as Attachment 1.

If you have any questions, please contact Stacie Singleton at (505) 695-4257 (stacie.singleton@em-la.doe.gov) or Elizabeth Churchill at (505) 819-9500 (elizabeth.churchill@em.doe.gov).

Sincerely,

Program Manager

Regulatory and Stakeholder Interface

N3B – Los Alamos

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For: Styling 1. Hills
David S. Rhodes, Director

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Attachment(s): One hard copy -

Attachment 1, Conversation Summary for August 22, 2018 (EM2018-0048)

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ATTACHMENT 1 Conversation Summary for August 22, 2018

The following is a summary of Ms. Stacie Singleton's and Ms. Elizabeth Churchill's August 22, 2018, conversation with Neelam Dhawan and Siona Briley regarding new Site Treatment Plan (STP) responsibilities for Newport News Nuclear BWXT – Los Alamos, LLC (N3B):

- N3B takes responsibility for STP reporting of the December 2018 Quarterly Report, due January 14, 2019, and the 2018 Annual Report, due March 31, 2019.
- N3B will routinely submit one report with two enclosures, one per contractor, for each quarterly and annual report.
- N3B will report any N3B-originated mixed waste shipments occurring on or after October 1, 2018.
- N3B will confirm that Los Alamos National Security, LLC (LANS)/Triad National Security, LLC (Triad) will continue distributing their own weekly and shipping reports.
- NMED is researching the origin of prior courtesy weekly STPs, as performed under LANS, to help determine if this is warranted, as it is not required under the FFCO.
- N3B takes no responsibility for, or ownership of, the 2017 STP Annual Report by LANS/Triad or any LANS-/Triad-originated data.
- An EM-LA and N3B goal is to improve the STP reporting process and make communication as clear and efficient as possible for all parties.